

Chief, Operations School

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Chief, Operations Branch

Instruction on RIS Planned for OC #12

1. Five hours of formal instruction on Russian Intelligence and Security Services are scheduled in Operations Course #12. This period of time is divided into two lectures (described below) which are in addition to other emphases placed on this subject in seminar discussions and practical exercises.

2. A three-hour lecture on Russian Intelligence and Security Services is scheduled on 6 November 1961. [REDACTED] Division D, has presented the subject in the past. However, this block of instruction is the responsibility of SR Division. [REDACTED], Chief, [REDACTED] should be consulted concerning who is best qualified to give this instruction.

3. C/OB, [REDACTED] desires coverage of the subject to include:

a. Brief clarification and definitions of the structure and objectives of the State Security Service (KGB) and of the Military Intelligence Service (GRU). Mention of their relations with the satellite intelligence and security services, and with Communist parties.

b. Highlights of the modus operandi of the Soviet Services. Examples of how the Soviet Services attempt to achieve objectives, with major reliance on illustrative case histories of Soviet operations.

4. In addition to the above, [REDACTED], COP/SR, has been invited to address OC #12 for two hours, on 18 December, [REDACTED]. Discussion of such operations, it is felt, will amplify the instruction provided by [REDACTED] and will further illustrate countermeasures taken by Soviet CI and Security forces.

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